

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
VICTORIA DIVISION**

In re:

Scott Vincent Van Dyke

Debtor.

Subchapter V

Case No. 21-60052

**Christopher M. Lopez**

**EVA ENGELHART, CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR THE BANKRUPTCY ESTATE  
OF ANGLO-DUTCH PETROLEUM INTERNATIONAL, INC.’S NOTICE  
OF RULE 2004 EXAMINATION OF SCOTT VINCENT VAN DYKE  
AND NOTICE OF RULE 2004 REQUESTS**

TO: Debtor Scott Vincent Van Dyke, by and through his attorney of record, Susan Tran, **TRAN SINGH, LLP**, 2502 La Branch Street, Houston, Texas 77004.

**PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that, pursuant to Rule 2004 and 9016 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure (the “**Bankruptcy Rules**”) and Bankruptcy Local Rule 2004-1 (the “**Local Rules**”), Eva Engelhart, Chapter 7 Trustee For The Bankruptcy Estate Of Anglo-Dutch Petroleum International, Inc. (“**Engelhart**”), hereby serves this notice of Bankruptcy Rule 2004 examination.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that Engelhart will conduct an examination of Scott Vincent Van Dyke to testify regarding the following topics (the “**Topics**”):

1. Discuss and explain in detail all facts that you claim support your assertion at page 8 (¶ 2.2) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization that “the mounting litigation costs of defending the Fraudulent Transfer Litigation and State Court Registry Litigation further depleted Mr. Van Dyke’s financial resources causing him to seek bankruptcy relief on May 25, 2021.”
2. Discuss and explain in detail all facts that you claim support your assertion at page 8 (¶ 2.3) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization regarding the existence of “the emergency nature of his bankruptcy filing.”
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monetary damages in the amount of three million four hundred thousand dollars.”

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5. Discuss and explain in detail the inputs, calculations and assumptions contained in the Liquidation Analysis attached as Exhibit 1 to the proposed Plan of Reorganization.
6. Discuss and explain in detail all facts that you claim support your assertion at page 9 (§ 2.5) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization that “[a]s of the Petition Date, Mr. Van Dyke’s interest in ADE and Trepador once had tremendous value due to their interests in the wells located in Iberville Parish, Louisiana (the “White Castle Wells”). On October 20, 2021 a sheriff’s sale (related to the lawsuit of *Hawkeye Stratigraphic, Inc. v. ADM White Castle LLC, suit 79915*) of the White Castle Wells occurred, therefore, stripping virtually all of the value in Trepador and ADE.”
7. Discuss and explain in detail what you did, if anything, to stop, try to avert or take any other action regarding the above-referenced October 20, 2021 “sheriff’s sale (related to the lawsuit of *Hawkeye Stratigraphic, Inc. v. ADM White Castle LLC, suit 79915*) of the White Castle Wells.”
8. Discuss and explain in detail if, whether, when and why you disclosed, or chose not to disclose, to the bankruptcy court, bankruptcy trustee or any creditors in this bankruptcy the possibility that the October 20, 2021 “sheriff’s sale (related to the lawsuit of *Hawkeye Stratigraphic, Inc. v. ADM White Castle LLC, suit 79915*) of the White Castle Wells” may occur, is scheduled to occur or has occurred.
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10. Discuss and explain in detail all non-privileged communications (oral, written and electronic) with anyone regarding the foreclosure of Anglo-Dutch Energy, LLC’s interest in a well located in ADM White Castle as described at page 10 (footnote 2) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.

11. Discuss and explain in detail whether you have any plan, scheme or idea under which you or any entity with which you have any ownership or other relationship intends to seek to regain or otherwise benefit from, directly or indirectly, Anglo-Dutch Energy, LLC's foreclosed interest in a well located in ADM White Castle as described at page 10 (footnote 2) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
12. Discuss and explain in detail why you did nothing to prevent, or were unable to prevent, the foreclosure of Trepador, LLC's interest in a well located in ADM White Castle as described at page 10 (footnote 3) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
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15. Discuss and explain in detail Exhibit 2 to your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
16. Discuss and explain in detail all assets and values set forth in the chart on page 10 of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
17. Discuss and explain in detail all secured claims, scheduled or filed claims, collateral, unsecured claims, unscheduled claims and filed claims set forth in the two charts on pages 11-12 of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
18. Discuss and explain in detail the alleged bases for any objections to the claims of Eva Engelhart as set forth at page 13 (§ 2.9) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
19. Discuss and explain in detail your proposed treatment of claims and executory contracts set forth in Section 5 of your proposed Plan of Reorganization (pp. 19-22)
20. Discuss and explain in detail all "sources of payments" set forth at pages 22-23 (§ 6.1) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.

21. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contracts, analyses, assumptions, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation, and any other information regarding what you expect to be your “disposable income . . . from TPO” referenced at page 22 (§ 6.1 – first paragraph) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
22. Discuss and explain in detail all of your disposable income for the past three years and all projections of your disposable income for the next five years.
23. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contracts, analyses, assumptions, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation, and any other information regarding the “Adams Project” referenced at page 22 (§ 6.1 – second paragraph) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
24. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contracts, leases, analyses, assumptions, the identities of potential operators or investors, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation, and any other information regarding the potential transactions referenced at pages 22-23 (§ 6.1 – third through sixth paragraph) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
25. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contracts, leases, analyses, the identities of potential operators or investors, assumptions, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation, and any other information regarding the “risk factors” referenced at page 23 (§ 6.3) of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
26. Discuss and explain in detail all communications (oral, written and electronic) with actual or potential investors or operators or with anyone else anyone regarding investing in or operating all or part of any project identified in your proposed Plan of Reorganization.
27. Discuss and explain in detail Exhibits 3-5 attached to your proposed Plan of Reorganization and all facts, contracts, leases, analyses, the identities of potential operators or investors, assumptions, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation, and any other information regarding or used to generate those exhibits.
28. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contracts, analyses, assumptions, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation, and any other information regarding all transactions of any type in which any entity in which you own, hold or have any interest in and yourself have had any involvement over the last five years.
29. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contracts, analyses, assumptions, financial and any other projections, calculations, supporting documentation,

and any other information or evidence that you claim supports the alleged feasibility of your proposed Plan of Reorganization.

30. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contents, entries and all other information regarding or shown on any of your personal financial statements, tax returns, personal bank statements and credit card statements generated, filed, sent, obtained, received or compiled at any time between January 1, 2016 and the present.
31. Discuss and explain in detail all facts, contents, entries and all other information regarding or shown on any financial statements, tax returns, bank statements and credit card statements for any entity with whom you have or had any ownership or other interest in or business relationship with at any time from or between January 1, 2016 and the present. As to the financial statements and other documents referenced in this topic, this topic will address all documents generated, filed, sent, obtained, received or compiled at any time between January 1, 2016 and the present.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that the examination on the Topics will occur and continue day to day until completed, at such date and time as mutually agreed to between the parties. The examination will be taken at the offices of **Hagans Montgomery Hagans, 3200 Travis Street, Houston, Texas 77006**. The examination will proceed before an officer authorized by law to administer oaths, and will be recorded by audio, video, and/or stenographic means. You are invited to attend and examine.

**PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that Scott Vincent Van Dyke shall produce the documents and tangible things, listed on Exhibit A, at the time of his examination.

Dated: November 8, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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ESTATE OF ROBERT M. PRESS, DECEASED  
AND AS CO-TRUSTEE OF THE LORRAINE  
PRESS SUPPLEMENTAL CARE TRUST AND  
ANZAR SETTLEMENT FUNDING CORP.

**CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE**

Pursuant to Local Rule 2004-1, I hereby certify that on November 8, 2021, I conferred with Susan Tran, counsel for Scott Vincent Van Dyke, with respect to the date, time, and location of the proposed examination and requests.

/s/ Julie Harrison  
Julie Harrison

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify on that the 8th day of November, 2021, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was sent to counsel for Scott Vincent Van Dyke in compliance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

/s/ Julie Harrison  
Julie Harrison

## **EXHIBIT A – RULE 2004 REQUESTS**

Each of the following requests (the “**Requests**”) is to be read and produced in accordance with the definitions and instructions set forth below.

### **DEFINITIONS**

Notwithstanding anything else to the contrary herein, each word, term or phrase used in these Requests is intended to have the broadest meaning permitted under FED. R. CIV. P. 26 and 34, as made applicable herein by FED. R. BANKR. P. 7026, 7034, and 9014.

1. “All,” “each,” and “any” shall be construed to mean all, each, every, and any, so as to be expansive as possible.

2. “Analysis” and “analyses” means any analysis whatsoever, including accounting, economic, financial, fairness, industry, investment, performance, risk, solvency, valuation, or other analyses whether in the form of appraisals, bank books, journal entries, memoranda, models, narratives, pitch materials, presentations, projections, proposals, reports, roadshow materials, slide decks, term sheets, third-party opinions, or in any other form, including drafts of the same.

3. The connectives “and” and “or” shall be construed either disjunctively or conjunctively as necessary to bring within the scope of each document request all documents that might otherwise be construed to be outside of its scope.

4. “Communication” means the transmittal of information (in the form of facts, ideas, inquiries or otherwise) and includes oral, written, or electronic transmission of information without limitation, including meetings, discussions, conversations, telephone calls, email messages, text messages, Bloomberg messages, chat messages, including Instant Bloomberg chat messages, social media messages (*e.g.*, Facebook), WhatsApp chat messages, Groupme chat messages, messages on other messaging platforms, memoranda, letters, analyst reports, telecopies, telefaxes,

telexes, conferences, seminars, messages, notes, video tapes, photographs, microfilm, microfiche, magnetic disks, or other media of any kind.

5. The terms “concerning” and “relating to” shall mean concerning, relating to, referring to, reflecting, describing, involving, evidencing, constituting, or touching upon in any way, in whole or in part.

6. “Debtor” means Scott Vincent Van Dyke and his respective present and former agents, employees, representatives, and all other persons acting or purporting to act on his behalf.

7. “Document” shall have the broadest possible meaning under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 34 and includes any and all types of documents and electronically stored information. A draft or non-identical copy is a separate Document within the meaning of this term.

8. “Engelhart” refers to Eva Engelhart, Chapter 7 Trustee For The Bankruptcy Estate Of Anglo-Dutch Petroleum International, Inc.

9. The term “financial projections” means and includes, but is not limited to, income statements, balance sheets, statements of cash flows, liquidity, sources and uses or any other projected financial information, including any drafts of the foregoing.

10. The term “include,” or any derivative thereof, means including without limitation.

11. “Person” means any natural person, firm, corporation, unincorporated association, partnership, or other form of legal entity or governmental body, including affiliates, agents and representatives.

12. “You” and “your” means the person or entity responding to these Requests.



### **INSTRUCTIONS**

The preceding Definitions apply to each of these Instructions, and for purposes of the Requests, the following Instructions shall be followed:

1. These Requests encompass all documents in Your possession, custody, or control, whether or not such documents were prepared by or for You. Where documents in Your possession, custody, or control are requested or inquired of, such Request or inquiry includes documents in the possession, custody, or control of each of Your current and former direct and indirect affiliates (whether or not Debtor in this Chapter 11 case), subsidiaries, directors, employees, representatives, agents, advisors, attorneys, accountants, auditors and consultants, all other persons or entities acting or purporting to act on Your behalf or under Your control, any other persons or entities from whom You could obtain documents, and each of their predecessors and successors.

2. If You contend that no documents exist concerning all or part of a Request, You shall state this contention and respond as fully as possible to all parts of the Request for which documents exist.

3. If You claim that any privilege or protection excuses production of any document or part thereof, You must expressly make such claim in writing and describe the nature of each document withheld on this ground, in sufficient detail for Engelhart to determine whether there is an adequate basis for invoking privilege or protection.

4. In the event that any document covered hereunder has been destroyed, discarded, or lost, You shall inform the Committee of this in writing and provide a general description of the categories of documents destroyed or lost and the circumstances of their destruction or loss.

5. If any document cannot be produced in full, it shall be produced to the maximum

extent possible and You shall specify in writing the reasons for Your inability to produce the remainder.

6. Each document is to be produced with all non-identical copies and drafts thereof in their entirety without abbreviation or redaction (other than for a claim of privilege, consistent with these Instructions).

7. The use of the singular form of any word includes the plural and vice versa.

8. Unless stated otherwise, these Requests call for documents generated, transmitted or received on or after January 1, 2019, or otherwise relating to the period from January 1, 2019 to the present (the “**Relevant Period**”).

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